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IN RE APPLICATION OF: ACHIM MARX, ET AL.

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FOR:

NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCES WHICH CODE FOR THE OXYR GENE

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## SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith:

Attached to the response: Journal of Bacteriology, Mar. 1995, Vol. 177, No. 5, pp. 1275-1284; Journal of Bacteriology, Mar. 1995, Vol. 177, No. 5, pp. 1285-1291 and Deposit Receipts DSM 5715/pT-oxyRexp, 33790 Halle/Künsebeck; DSM 5715/pToxyRexp and 33790 Halle/Hünsebeck

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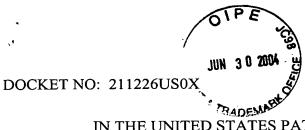
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## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated March 30, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.